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TECHNOLO INTEGRATED PERFORMANCE SIMULATION SYSTEM FOR MILITARY

WEAPON SYSTEMS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of one (1) month (from December 3, 2002 to January 3, 2003) within which to respond to the Office Action dated September 3, 2002 is requested. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any fee. underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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